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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Dual Offices (5 USCA 62)

- 1. The "dual office" statute of 1894, 5 USCA 62, was amended in 1924 to authorize the appointment of all retired enlisted men, and those retired officers who have been retired for injuries received in battle or for injuries or incapacity received in line of duty.
- 2. The legislative history of the 1924 amendment was traced in an effort to obtain any helpful information pertaining to this legislation. The amendment was designed to permit the appointment of retired enlisted men, but was amended on the floor of the House to authorize the appointment of certain retired officers.
- β_{ullet} The attachments to this memorandum contain pertinent information regarding this law.

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